



No. 31 the Word of
God

Jonathan, David's Good Friend



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After David had finished talking with Saul, Jonathan became one in spirit with David, and he loved him as himself.

1 Samuel 18: 1





David became to stay in the palace. He met Jonathan, who was the son of king Saul.



Jonathan liked David very much. Jonathan became one in spirit with David.



Jonathan gave David his own sword and arrow. It meant that he really believed in David.



Jonathan gave his precious clothes to David. It showed Jonathan's deep friendship to David.



David was in dangerous situations to death for several times, for king Saul tried to kill him. However, he could escape from those dangers with Jonathan's help.



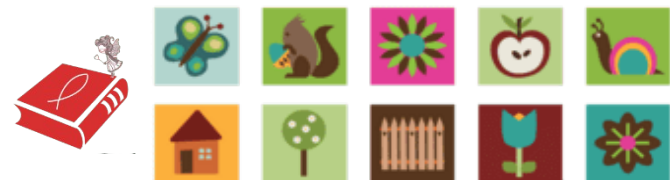
Jonathan did not choose his selfish desire, but his friend, David.

Like Jonathan,
let's be a good friend for our friend.





God?



God..

He is the one who gives us good friends.

Give thanks to God for giving us good friends!





Today's Quiz



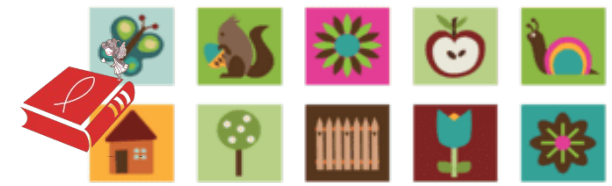
What didn't Jonathan give to David?

- ① sword
- ② shield
- ③ arrow
- ④ clothes





Today's Word



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1 Samuel 18: 1





No. 32 The Word of
God

Solomon who received Wisdom as a Gift.



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King Solomon was greater in
riches and wisdom than all the
other kings of the earth.

2 Chronicles 9: 22





Solomon became the third king of Israel succeeding king David.



“Give me the wisdom to lead my people well.”
God was pleased that Solomon had asked for
this. So, God gave him what Solomon asked.



One day, two women came to Solomon with a small baby. They fought that the baby was her baby before king.



The king said, “Because two women insist that the child is her child, cut the child in two and give half to one and half to the other!”



One woman was filled with compassion for her son. So, she said, "Give the living baby to her. Don't kill him!" At hearing this, Solomon decided the woman was his real mother. King said, "Give the baby to her. She is a real mother!"



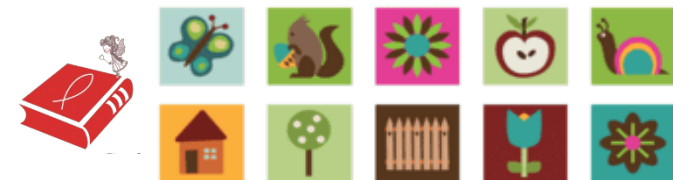
Solomon asked for a wise heart
and not for wealth or power
to rule his country.

We have to pray to God not only
for ourselves but also for serving
others.





God?



God..

God is one who can give us
wisdom which you can not gain
from the world.





Today's Quiz



What did Solomon asked for to God?

- ① food
- ② wealth
- ③ health
- ④ wisdom





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2 Chronicles 9: 22





No. 33 The Word of
God

The Temple for the Name of God



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Solomon gave orders to build a temple for the Name of the LORD and a royal palace for himself.

2 Chronicles 2:1





Solomon desired to build a temple for God as his father, David ordered.



So, he ordered skilled carpenters bring the best trees for the temple.



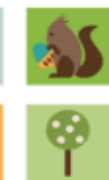
He prepared stones for the temple. He asked skilled craftsmen to bring big, magnificent and



Some craftsmen decorated the temple of God with colored clothes and gold thread.



When the temple of God was finished, Solomon and all the men of Israel worshipped God with great joy. "O Lord God! Come and reign us here!"



Solomon and his people showed
their heart of love for God with
building a beautiful temple for the
Lord God.

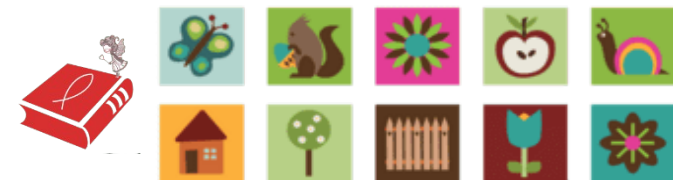
Church is a place where we meet
God and we can show our heart of
love for God.

We have to love our church.





God?



God..

God is one who searches
worshippers and blesses them.





Today's quiz



What did Solomon and Israel make to express their love for God?

- ① Idol
- ② Palace
- ③ city
- ④ sanctuary





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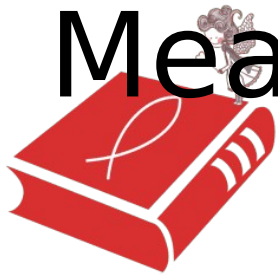
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No. 34 The Word of
God

Ravens That Brought Bread and Meat



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1 kings 17:4





There was a king called Ahab who was very wicked before God. A prophet Elijah delivered the word of God to Ahab.



“There will be no rain in the land!” At this, Ahab tried to kill him. God made him hide from king Ahab.



Elijah fled to the land where God had told.
But, he could not get any food to eat there.



God ordered the ravens to feed Elijah there. The ravens brought him bread and meat in the morning and in the evening, and he drank from



Elijah obeyed God's word at the risk of his life and he had an amazing experience of God's



Today's Lesson

The wicked king, Ahab disliked to obey God's word. So, he tried to kill God's prophet, Elijah who had told God's word.

But, God protected and took care of Elijah with amazing way!

We have to obey and proclaim God's word in any circumstance like Elijah.

God will surely protects us





Who is God ?



God is..

God is one who takes care of those who obey and keep His words with amazing way.





Today's Quiz



Who brought something to eat to Elijah?

- ① horse
- ② eagle
- ③ dragon
- ④ raven





You will drink from the brook, and I
have ordered the ravens to feed
you there.

1 kings 17:4





No. 35 The Word of
God

The Flour and the oil was not used up



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Today's Word



Go at once to Zarephath of Sidon
and stay there. I have commanded
a widow in that place to supply
you with food

1 kings 17:9





There was no rain in Israel as the Lord God said.
So there was no food for people to eat.



The Lord God sent Elijah to a widow who lived in Zarephath.



Elijah asked her to make bread for himself with only a handful of flour and a little oil which was



Even though she had not enough flour and oil on which they lived, according to Elijah's saying, she made some bread and gave it to Elijah first and made for themselves. Then, surprisingly, the jar of flour and the jug of oil were not used up.



One day her son died. But the Lord God let the boy's life return to him and live. She gave glory to God.



Today's Lesson

The widow offered a little flour and oil
to God.

Then, she received much blessing
beyond imagination.

Sometimes, there will be a moment we
have to give something important to
God.

Then, God blesses us much through
this offering and sacrifice.





Who is God?



God is..

God is one who provides us everything which we need to live on-food, clothes, and house, etc.





Today's Quiz



To whom did God say to Elijah to go??

- ① king
- ② priest
- ③ widow
- ④ general





Today's Word



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1 kings 17:9





No. 36 The Word of
God

The Fire Fell down from the Heaven



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Then the fire of the LORD fell and
burned up the sacrifice, the wood,
the stones and the soil, and also
licked up the water in the trench.

1 kings 18:38





God sent Elijah to the wicked king Ahab of Israel.
“You will get to know who is real God!”



Elijah have fought against 850 false prophets of idol worshippers. "The god who answers by fire is real God!"



850 prophets called on the name of their god and danced around the alter but there was no fire response.



It was Elijah's turn. Elijah prayed towards heaven. Then, the fire of God fell and burned up the sacrifice on the alter.



“Jehovah is the real God!” Israel people repented their sins and gave glory to God.



Today's Lesson

False gods could do nothing.
For they had no power.

God is Almighty.
We can experience His amazing
miracles when we rely on and believe
in Him.





God is..

He is the real and living and
working God who is different from
the false idols.





Today's Quiz



What fell down from heaven when Elijah prayed?

- ① snow
- ② rain
- ③ stone
- ④ fire





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burned up the sacrifice, the wood,
the stones and the soil, and also
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1 kings 18:38





NO. 37 The Word of God

Naaman Healed of Leprosy



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So he went down and dipped himself in the Jordan seven times, as the man of God had told him, and his flesh was restored and became clean like that of a young boy.

2 Kings 5:14





Naaman was commander of the army of the king of Aram, but he had leprosy. He went to Elisha who was the prophet of Israel to be restored.



Elisha didn't meet him, but just said, "Go, wash yourself seven times in the Jordan River."



Naaman got angry against Elisha's word. But his servants said to him, "Go to the river and dip your body, please."



Naaman dipped himself in the Jordan seven times as Elisha and his servants said.



Then, surprisingly, his flesh was restored and became clean.

Naaman went back to Elisha and gave glory to God.



Today's Lesson

When Naaman heard Elisha who was the man of God and obeyed his word, he was blessed to be cleansed from his leprosy.

We should live not by our own will, but by God's will.

When we live on and obey God's word, We can be blessed by abundant blessing which God can provide us.





God?



God is..

God is the one who can heal every disease. He is the Almighty God who can heal us.





Today's Quiz



How many times did Naaman dip himself in the Jordan River?

① three times

② once

③ five times

④ seven times





So he went down and dipped himself in the Jordan seven times, as the man of God had told him, and his flesh was restored and became clean like that of a young boy.

2 Kings 5:14





No. 38 The Word of
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Repairing the Temple of God



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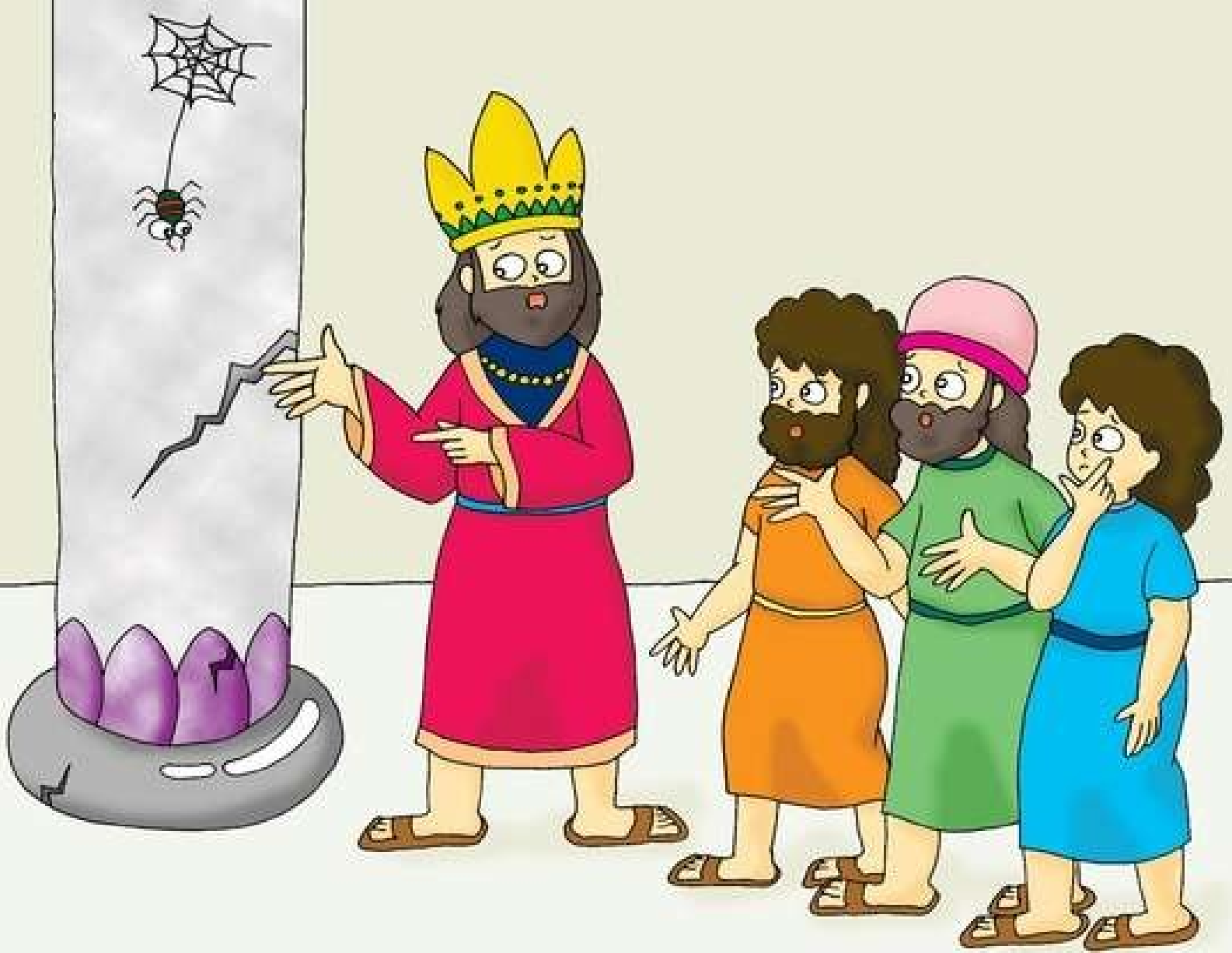
Today's Word



Therefore King Joash summoned Jehoiada the priest and the other priests and asked them, "Why aren't you repairing the damage done to the temple? Take no more money from your treasurers, but hand it over for repairing the temple."

2 Kings 12:7





Joash, the king of Judah, had a mind to repair the temple of God, which was left damaged.



However, the budget was not enough to repair the temple. Joash decided to receive offering for repairing the temple of God.



People who loved God sincerely offered money for repairing the temple.



Money collected for the temple repairing was given to the workmen, and they repaired the temple with complete honesty.



“Wow! What a beautiful temple it is!” Joash was glad over with thought God would be pleasing.



Today's Lesson

Joash regarded the temple of God as precious place, where people worshipped God.

Church is the place God is present when we worship Him.

So, we have to love church and consider it very precious.





God?

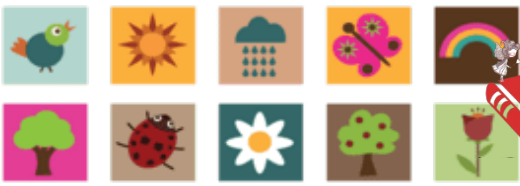


God is...

God sets up each one of us as His Holy Temple.

God meets those who worship Him.





Today's Quiz



What did Joash decide to fix up?

① palace

② his room

③ school

④ Holy Temple





Today's Word



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2 Kings 12:7





No. 39 The Word of
God

Nehemiah, who rebuilt the wall of Jerusalem



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I answered the king, "If it pleases the king and if your servant has found favor in his sight, let him send me to the city in Judah where my fathers are buried so that I can rebuild it."

Nehemiah 2:5





Persian king gave a permission for king's cupbearer Nehemiah to rebuild the city and citadel which was ruined.



Nehemiah came back to Jerusalem with many Israelites and rebuilt the Jerusalem wall with



However, they were disturbed by other tribes who disliked Israelite's revival. In addition, many Israelites people burst into complaints.



Nehemiah asked help to God. God gave him power and courage to do the work.



At last, Nehemiah completed the rebuilding the wall of Jerusalem with Israelite people. After finishing the wall, he and his people worshipped God in full.



Nehemiah completed rebuilding the wall with the help of God even though there were many disturbances.

When we do God's work we may face hard situations. However, if God be with us and we be with Him, we can overcome all those difficulties.





God?



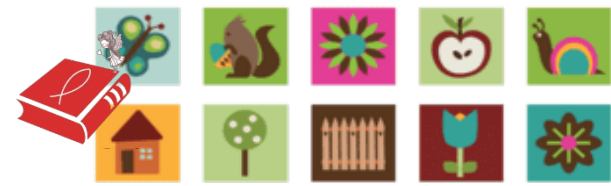
God is..

God is the one who helps us and gives us power and courage when we pray and ask help in difficult situation.





Today's Quiz



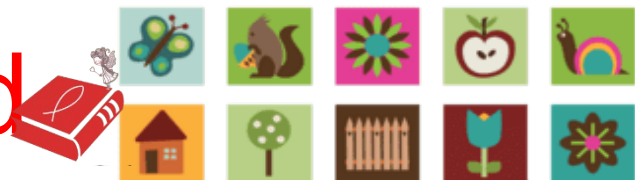
Why did Nehemiah return to hometown?

- ① to travel..
- ② to go to school..
- ③ to worship..
- ④ to rebuild the wall of Jerusalem..





Today's Word



I answered the king, "If it pleases the king and if your servant has found favor in his sight, let him send me to the city in Judah where my fathers are buried so that I can rebuild it."

Nehemiah 2:5





No. 40 The Word of
God

The courage of the Queen Esther.



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Then the king asked, "What is it, Queen Esther? What is your request? Even up to half the kingdom, it will be given you."

Esther 5:3





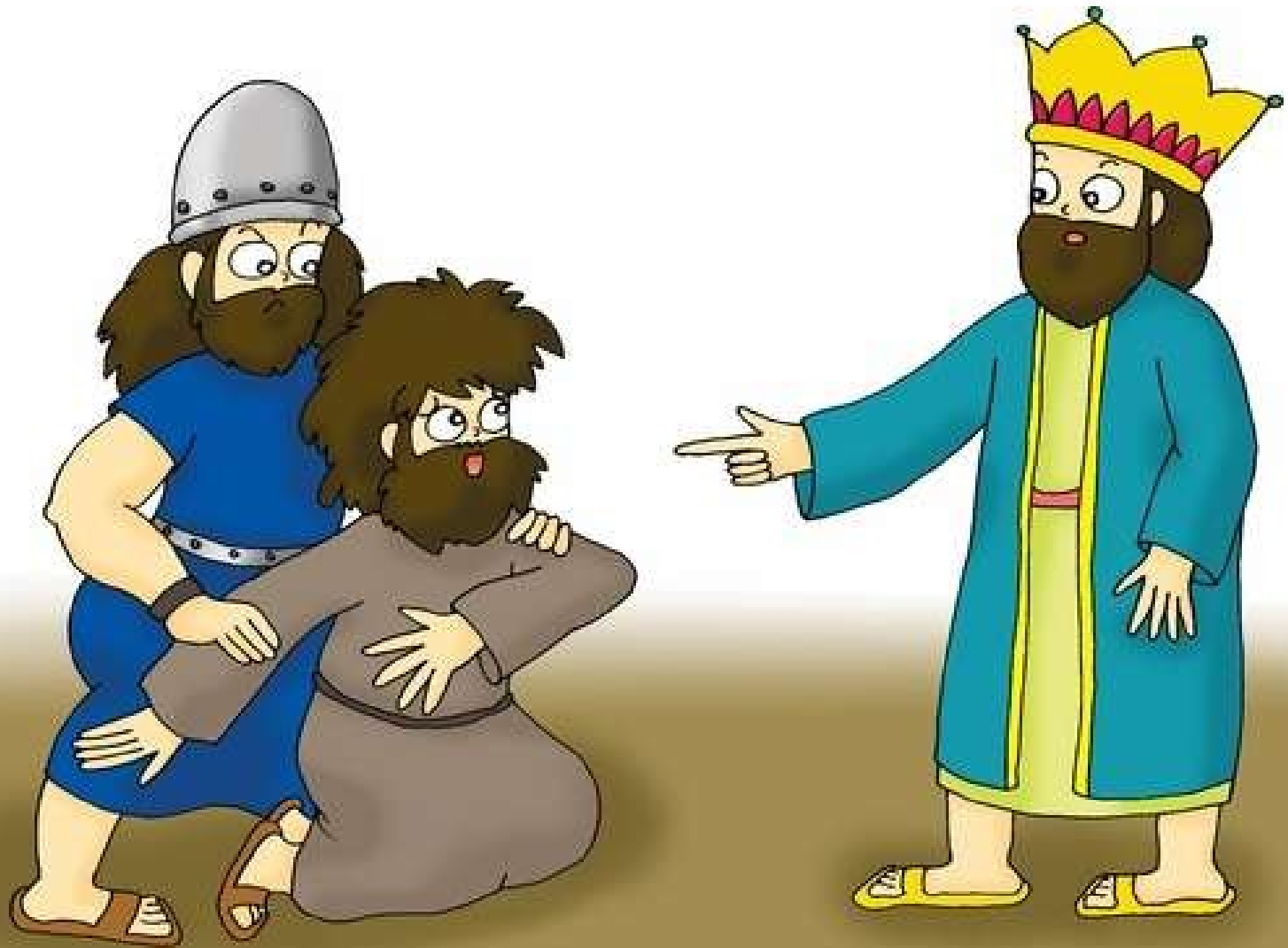
It was the time when a wise Jewish woman Esther was the queen of Persia. However, Haman plotted to destroy the Jews using the



She thought, 'I may be killed if I approach the king without being called by the king.' However, she decided to go to the king to ask her people to be saved, even though it was against the law.



But, when he saw Queen Esther standing in the court, he was very pleased with her and said, "What is your request? I will give it to you."



Haman's plot to destroy the Jews was revealed by the king. As a result, he was hated by king



“Thank you, Lord, for protecting us!” Owing to the queen Esther’s courage, the Jews was protected.



Even though Esther was to be put to death, she prayed to God to save her people courageously.

God saved the Jews from the crisis through Esther's prayer with His wonderful wisdom and strength.

Let's believe and expect God's wonderful help and salvation in our daily life.





God?



God is..

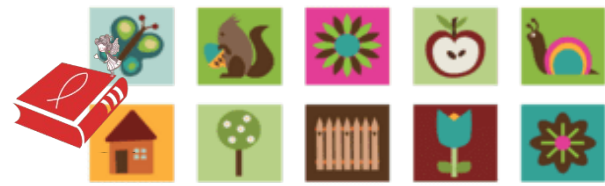
God is the one who keeps and helps His people to the end.

God is keeping and helping me to the end of the world.



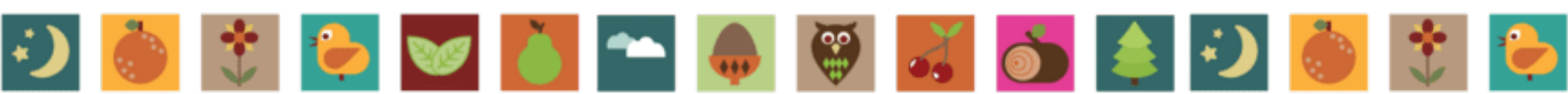


Today's Quiz



What happened to Esther when she approached the king without being called?

- ① She was to be put to death.
- ② She was driven out.
- ③ She could not meet the king.
- ④ She could say to the king what she wanted to request.





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Esther 5:3





No. 41 The Word of
God

Job who was blessed by God



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Today's Word



In the land of Uz there lived a man whose name was Job. This man was blameless and upright; he feared God and shunned evil.

Job 1:1





Job who lived in the land of Uz of the East land was the richest one. He feared God and blameless and upright.



“Because you blessed Job, he feared you! Does Job fear God for nothing?” Satan plotted to test



Satan took away everything overnight, his children and all his properties. He became the most miserable man in the world.



His wife departed him with saying that "Curse God and die!" Job's friends came and blamed him. But, Job put trust in God as ever.



It was the times in misery and bitterness. However Job got through the test and God gave him much bigger blessing than before. He became a man who feared God than ever before.



Today's Lesson

Though Job was a upright man, Satan gave him trouble.

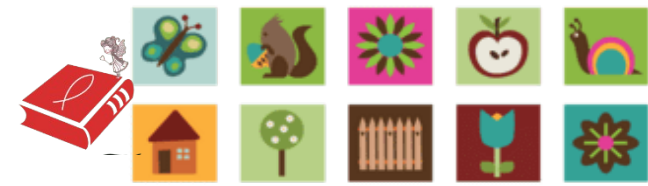
Despite of difficulties, Job believed in God and was in patient in God.

Those difficulties may come upon us.
At that time, we have to believe in God
and be patient in God.





God?



God is..

God is the one
who can make us rich or poor
according to His own will.





Today's Quiz



Which one is incorrect about Job?

- ① He was rich.
- ② He lived in the east land.
- ③ He was a king.
- ④ He feared God.





Today's Word



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Job 1:1





NO. 42 The Word of
God

Daniel
refused to
eat King's
food.



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Daniel Refusing the King's Meat and Wine, by Del Parson, © 1983 ISI





Today's Word



But Daniel resolved not to defile himself with the royal food and wine, and he asked the chief official for permission not to defile himself this way.

Daniel 1:8





Daniel and his three friends were brought to Babylon as prisoners. The king ordered his officials to teach them with giving them king's food and wine.



“We want not to eat food prohibited by God’s law!”
Daniel and his three friends asked the chief official for permission not to defile themselves this way.



Daniel and his three friends ate vegetables and water instead of eating food offered to Idol. God valued them and gave them more wisdom.



“How wise they are!” The king could not but wonder that they looked healthier and wiser than any other young men who ate the royal food.



Since then Daniel and his three friends took charge of important things of Babylon and kept themselves holy before God.



Today's Lesson

Daniel and his three friends made up their mind to keep God's law under even prisoner's situation.

Then, they became healthier and wiser than any other men who ate the royal food.

We have to obey God under any circumstances.

There is nothing important than loving God.





God is..

God is the one who can be at all places at a same time (omnipresence). And he is almighty.





Today's Quiz



What food did Daniel and his three friends eat instead of king's food?

① water and vegetables

② cookie and coke

③ noodle

④ rice





Today's Word



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Daniel 1:8





No. 43 The Word of
God

Daniel of the Lion's Den



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The king was overjoyed and gave orders to lift Daniel out of the den. And when Daniel was lifted from the den, no wound was found on him, because he had trusted in his God.

Daniel 6: 23





There were people in Babylon who hated Daniel, who was brought into captivity and became prime minister. They wanted to kill Daniel.



“Anyone who bows to something other than the king will be thrown into the lion's den!” Daniel did not stop praying three times a day, even though he knew it.



So in the end, Daniel was thrown into the scary lion's den.



The king came to the lion's den early the next morning and asked, 'Daniel! Are you safe?' In fact, the king wanted Daniel not to die because he loved Daniel so much.



“I am okay for God to protect me!” Daniel was not hurt. The king also praised the God of Daniel.



Daniel, who did not bow to idols, eventually, was thrown into the lion's den, but he was safe.

Because of Daniel's faith, the Babylonian king also praised God

We have to worship only God and we have to faith that doesn't serve idols!

That kind of faith can make other people believe in God.





God is?



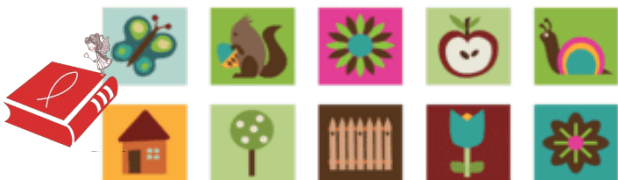
God is the one..

God is a reliable one who can save those who truly believe in Him and serve Him.





Today's Quiz



Why was Daniel thrown into the lion's den?

- ① Because he lied to the king.
- ② Because he didn't bow down to the idol of king.
- ③ Because he was going to kill the king.
- ④ Because he did not worship God well.





The king was overjoyed and gave orders to lift Daniel out of the den. And when Daniel was lifted from the den, no wound was found on him, because he had trusted in his God.

Daniel 6: 23





No. 44 The Word of
God

Jonah, who was inside the great fish

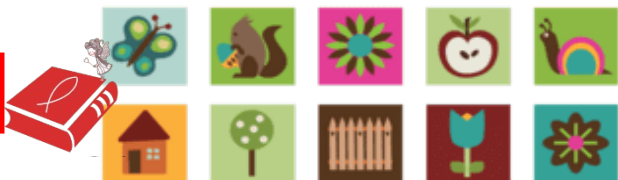


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Today's Word



But the LORD provided a great fish to swallow Jonah, and Jonah was inside the fish three days and three nights.

Jonah 1:17





One day God appeared to Jonah and said,
“Go to the great city of Nineveh and preach against it! I
will rescue them from their wickedness.”



Jonah didn't want to obey God. He went abroad and sailed for Tarshish to flee from God.



But, God sent a great wind and all of them was to die. Sailors threw away Jonah into the sea. A great fish came and swallowed him.



Jonah repented his sins for 3 days inside the fish.



The fish vomited him onto dry land. He went to Nineveh and shouted God's message to them reluctantly.



Upon hearing God's warning, the Ninevites repented and sought God's grace. God forgave the people of Nineveh



Today's Lesson

Jonah disobeyed God's Word.
But God used Jonah to disobey and
eventually saved the Ninevites.

There are times when the will of God is
different from what I think.
But God's will is always right.

We must always be obedient to God's
will.

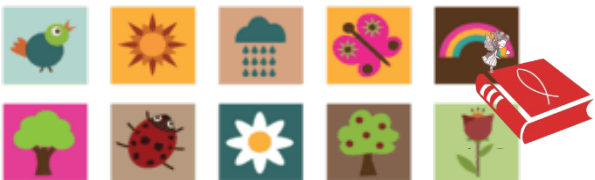




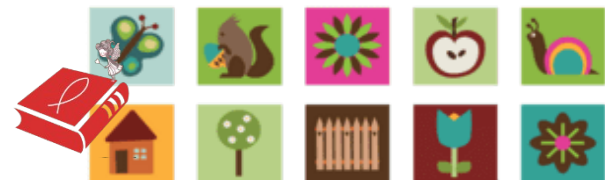
God is..

God is the one who saves those who sincerely repents of their sins and ask for forgiveness.





Today's Quiz



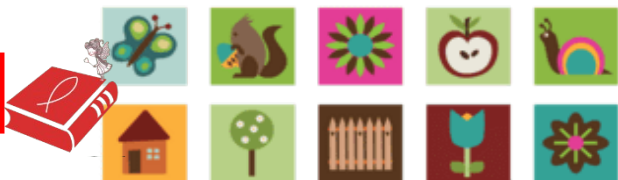
Whose belly was Jonah in for 3 days?

- ① Lion
- ② Elephant
- ③ Dog
- ④ Fish





Today's Word



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